

National Park Service ranger-led programs

Mammoth Hot Springs	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Mammoth Snowshoe Discovery Starts January 1, ends March 2. Experience Yellowstone National Park’s winter beauty on a guided snowshoe walk with a park ranger. Snowshoes can be rented at the Bear Den ski shop next to the Mammoth Hotel, or bring your own. Come prepared with warm, layered clothes, sunglasses and water. Meet at the Upper Terrace Drive entrance parking area two miles south of Mammoth. Note: If there is a lack of snow, this will become a walk without snowshoes. Moderately strenuous. Beginners welcome. Two hours			2 pm 1/1 – 2/26				2 pm 1/5 – 3/2
Yellowstone’s Northern Range Ecology Starts December 24, ends February 27. The Northern Range of Yellowstone has always been a premier place to watch wildlife. Learn about how all forms of life interact here and how this ecosystem has changed since the restoration of wolves. This 20-minute talk will be followed by an hour-long wildlife video. Meet at the Albright Visitor Center theater. 1 ½ hours, including video. Accessible.		3 pm 12/24 – 2/25		3 pm 12/26 – 2/27			
Evening Program Starts December 20, ends March 2. Join a park ranger for an illustrated program that highlights a fascinating aspect of Yellowstone’s natural, cultural or scenic wonders. Program descriptions will be posted in the Mammoth Hotel and Albright Visitor Center. Meet in the Mammoth Hotel Map Room. 1 hour. Accessible.					8:30 pm 12/20 – 2/28	8:30 pm 12/21 – 3/1	8:30 pm 12/22 – 3/2

Old Faithful	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Geysers Galore Starts December 15, ends March 15. As you wait to watch Old Faithful erupt, discover why Yellowstone has so many geysers. Look into Yellowstone’s restless geologic past (and present!) for a story that includes volcanoes and earthquakes. Meet at the benches in front of Old Faithful. Talk starts 20 minutes prior to a predicted mid-day eruption of Old Faithful. Times are posted daily at the Old Faithful Visitor Education Center. Free program. 20 minutes. Accessible.	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/16 – 3/10	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/17 – 3/11	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/18 – 3/12	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/19 – 3/13	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/20 – 3/14	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/21 – 3/15	Inquire at Old Faithful Visitor Education Center 12/15 – 3/19
Old Faithful Evening Program Starts December 28, ends March 2. Join a park ranger for an illustrated program highlighting a fascinating aspect of Yellowstone's natural, cultural, or scenic wonders. Meet in the Old Faithful Visitor Education Center. Doors open at 7 p.m.; enter via the main doors on the parking lot side. Weekly program descriptions will be posted in the Old Faithful Visitor Education Center and the Old Faithful Snow Lodge. Free program. 45 minutes. Accessible.	7:30 pm 12/30 – 2/24					7:30 pm 12/28 – 3/1	7:30 pm 12/29 – 3/2

West Yellowstone	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Snowshoe Walk Starts December 22, ends March 9. Discover Yellowstone’s fascinating winter ecology while wearing snowshoes. Join a ranger for a two-mile walk into Yellowstone National Park along the Riverside Trail. Meet at the West Yellowstone Visitor Information Center at the corner of Yellowstone Ave and Canyon St in West Yellowstone, MT. Bring snowshoes. No experience necessary. Also bring water and a snack. For information, please call 307-344-2876. Free program. 3 hours							1:30 pm 12/22 – 3/9
Morning Talk Starts December 22, ends March 9. Join a ranger for a program highlighting an aspect of Yellowstone’s natural, cultural or scenic wonders. Weekly program descriptions are posted in the West Yellowstone Visitor Information Center at the corner of Yellowstone Ave and Canyon St in West Yellowstone, MT, and at the Grizzly and Wolf Discovery Center, 201 South Canyon St. Meet at the Grizzly and Wolf Discovery Center. There is a fee if you choose to visit the rest of the Grizzly and Wolf Discovery Center. Free program. 45 minutes. Accessible.							10 am 12/22 – 3/9

Be a Junior Ranger

Children ages 5 and older can become a Junior Ranger in Yellowstone. Hike, ski, or snowshoe a trail, attend a ranger-led program, and complete fun activities. Find out more and pick up your free copy of an eight–page activity paper available at a visitor center.



Expedition: Yellowstone!

Teachers and their classes are invited to participate in this curriculum-based residential program. Through field investigations, hikes, creative dramatics, journal writing, and group discussions, students learn about natural and cultural resources. Find out more at www.nps.gov/yell/forteachers



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